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CROWD SEES PLAY

EVERY SEAT TAKEN AT THE H. S. FOUR-ACT COMEDY.

DOOR RECEIPTS ARE $175

Specialties Between Acts Given by the Students—Miss Halley Directed Practices for Production.

A packed house witnessed the High School play, "The Private Secretary," presented at the Empire last night, and all are loud in their praises of the production.

The play was a delightful little comedy, full of laughable situations. The acting was excellent for High School pupils. The characters were all well fitted to their parts, and each one performed capably.

The comedy was translated from the German by the advanced German classes under the direction of Miss Laura Hawkins, and the students were trained in the parts by Miss Lois Halley, who has already gained enviable reputation for "putting over" successful High School plays.

The first act opens in London in the rooms of Richard McDonald, the nephew of a rich old man who holds the belief that every young man must "sow his wild oats," before he can amount to anything. Richard, in following his uncle's wishes has become involved in debt, and in order to evade his creditors accompanies his friend, Harry Marsland, to the estate of the latter's uncle. He assumes the role of private secretary to the family, leaving the real secretary in his rooms.

At the Marsland country home, the two young men promptly fall in love with Edith Marsland and her friend, Eva Webster, two very charming but mischievous young ladies. Meanwhile Richard's rich uncle has visited his London apartment for the first time in twenty years, and is enraged to find his supposed nephew to be one of the meek, inoffensive type who shows no evidence of having ever "sowed his wild oats."

He visits his old friend, Mr. Marsland, and is further enraged at the contrast between the vivacious young secretary and his supposed nephew. The plot is further complicated and many comical situations are added by the appearance of Mr. Gibson, a tailor who holds a note and also a grudge against the two young men. He agrees to withhold judgment on condition that he be introduced into the high society circles in which the young men move. His actions are extremely laughable.

At the highest point of the plot the real secretary appears and the remainder of the story is taken up with unravelling the mystery. Richard gets Edith, Harry falls for Eva, Sarah Gildern, the Governess with a taste for spiritualism and a desire for a husband, captures the defenseless secretary, and Mr. McDonald is overjoyed to find his nephew to be a scapegrace after his own heart.

To pick the stars would be impossible without playing favorites. The most prominent parts were of course those already given. The entire cast of characters was as follows:

Mr. Marsland, English land owner, B. E. Condon.

Edith, his daughter, Mary Margaret Richey.

Harry Marsland, his nephew, Virgil Rathbun.

Mr. McDonald, Lester Masters.

Richard McDonald, his nephew, Clarence Cook.

Eva Webster, friend of Edith, Mary Louise Andrews.

Mr. Gibson, a tailor, Donald Hagins.

Sarah Gildern, the governess, Abbie Bell Colden.

Robert Crane, a private secretary, Elmer Allen.

Mrs. Dixon, landlady of Richard, Erma Greene.

Mr. Armadale and Mr. Wooford, two young gentlemen Loren Egley and Jay Pucket.

John, a butler, Roland Curnutt.

Servants, policemen and porters, Chilton Robinson and Paul Miller.

Specialties were given between all the acts. The biggest hit of the evening was the Hawaiian chorus composed of Misses Leeta Wray, Leska Wray, Wave Hulet, Dorothy McDonald, Mary Margaret Richey, Maud Helpley, and Clarence Edward Cook. The chorus was called back for repeated encores.

Elmer Allen gave one of the chalk talks for which he is becoming noted. His patriotic readings and drawings received much applause. The third specialty was an impersonation of Pancho Villa by Clifford Hull.

The costuming and scenic effects throughout the play were very effective. Music was furnished by the High School orchestra. The gross receipts were in the neighborhood of $175. All seats were sold before the doors opened.

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GARDNER'S APPEAL

GOVERNOR WANTS EVERY ACRE OF MISSOURI LAND TILLED.

CONTRIBUTION TO NATION

Urges Mayors, Banks and Farmers of State to Meet With Him for Discussion of Food Question.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Jefferson City, April 13.—The mobilization of Missouri's agricultural resources as one of its chief contributions to the Nation and the world in the war crisis was asked for yesterday afternoon by Governor Gardner when he called a conference here for April 23, to which he invited the mayors of every village, town and city and the bankers and the farmers of the state. They are to meet with the governor and the members of the state board of agriculture to work out plans whereby thousands of untilled acres of farm lands in this state may be cultivated.

The following is the proclamation issued by Governor Gardner:

Whereas, the United States is now at war with a foreign enemy, and,

Whereas, it is conceded that the greatest problem confronting the United States will be the question of food supplies for both army and Nation.

Therefore, as governor of this state, I call upon the bankers and those who have money to loan to perfect arrangements whereby every pair of willing hands in the state of Missouri may be furnished money on long time at a low rate of interest for the purpose of securing seeds, machinery and teams in order that crops may be planted and harvested. It is imperative that not only the usual acreage be cultivated, but that every vacant town and city lot be utilized, as well as railroad rights of way and hundreds of thousands of other available acres within the borders of our state.

The crisis confronting our state and Nation is the most critical in our history. It is the time for every loyal and patriotic Missourian to make some secrifice. It is within the power of the people of this state, if sufficient funds are forthcoming, and sufficient encouragement is given to those who are willing to till the soil, to not only feed our own people during the strenuous days which confront us, but millions of our fellow men as well.

I now call upon the mayor and chief executive of every village, town and city in this state, from the largest to the smallest, also all bankers and representatives from all commercial bodies, as well as representatives of agricultural associations and clubs, to meet with me in conference with the state board of agriculture, at Jefferson City, April 23, 1917, at 10 o'clock, a. m., in the new Capitol Building, for the purpose of carrying into effect the spirit of this proclamation."

"The bankers of Missouri must realize their burden in this time of war," Governor Gardner said. "They must supply the money needed to allow Missouri farmers to do their full share towards making immense crops this year."

Mrs. Katherine Jensen and two sons of Bedison were in Maryville on business Thursday.

C. J. W. Spoonemore of Ravenwood was a city visitor Friday.

WILL TRAIN CHORUS

MARCUS NEILSEN ANXIOUS TO ORGANIZE MARYVILLE TALENT.

SAYS THE FIELD IS GOOD

Wants 100 Voices to Sing at Public Festivities and Community Affairs —Has Had Varied Experience.

Marcus T. Neilsen, who comes to the Maryville Conservatory as a teacher of voice June 1, has numerous plans for training a community and children's choruses to be used on occasions of public festivities.

"With so much excellent voice material in Maryville," said Mr. Neilsen, on the occasion of his recent visit to our city. "I do not see why a chorus of at least 100 voices could not be trained for the purpose of appearing at patriotic meetings, Christmas celebrations and the like. I am heartily in favor of working up a chorus in Maryville, and if I get any encouragement at all from the singers of the city, I am sure that I can accomplish great things with a community chorus."

MARCUS NEILSEN.
Who Comes to the Conservatory June 1, as Teacher of Voice.

Mr. Neilsen's experience covers a period of twelve to fourteen years. He studied the De Rezke method of voice culture under William B. Graham, of Omaha, and was a student of dramatic expression under the same master for three years. He has taken part in and conducted the following oratorios: "The Messiah," "Elijah," and "The Creation."

He owned the Red Oak Conservatory at Red Oak, Ia., for over a year and while there gave the opera, "The Creation," by Haydn, with four soloists and a chorus of 100 voices. The press notice at Red Oak after the opera was given was very complimentary. Here it is:

"To Mr. Neilsen is due much credit for bringing out the musical talent of Red Oak. He has worked hard to accomplish this end since he took hold of the conservatory, and he has succeeded most admirably. The singing of the pageant chorus was an excellent demonstration of his work as a conductor and chorus leader.

"At the same time Mr. Nielsen has succeeded with the conservatory work in a manner most gratifying to the people of Red Oak. The school is no longer an experiment but a permanent institution where all the advantages of the best musical conservatories may be obtained."

The Cleff, a musical magazine published at Kansas City, has the following to say concerning Mr Neilsen and his rendition of the prologue from Pagliacci.

"The rendition of the prologue from Pagliacci by Marcus Neilsen was a splendid number. Mr. Neilsen possesses a rich, fiery, baritone voice, powerful and flexible, and with his dramatic ability and attractive personality, he deserves rare credit for his rendition of this difficult number."

Submarine Sighted, Report.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Havana, April 13.—Reports that a submarine had been sighted between Key West and Cuba and that the British ship, Treveal had been submarined off Cienfuegos, Cuba, aroused anxiety in shipping circles today and a number of vessels were detained at port. Both reports were without confirmation.

A LITERARY-SONG FEAST

The Rev. Mr. Cox Will Give Solo From "The Creation," (Haydn) and Sermon on Wells' Novel.

Sunday night's services at the First Methodist church will be a literary and song feast. The Rev. Mr. Cox will give a sermon based on H. G. Wells' novel, "Mr. Britling Sees It Through," which is considered one of the greatest war stories of the day.

Besides the regular choir selections Mr. Cox will sing the Aria from "The Creation," (Haydn). The name of this selection is "Rolling and Foaming Billows," and it has a beautiful orchestration which will be played by a string quartet, consisting of Prof. Fred Lewis Hakel, viola; Vladimir Jisa, first violin; Ralph Yehle, second violin; and H. B. Schuler, cello.

WINS IN SPEAKING CONTEST

Miss Etha Henderson Will Represent M. H. S. in Preliminary At Mound City April 20.

Miss Etha Henderson won in the extemporaneous contest which was held at high school assembly this morning and will represent the school at the Mound City meeting, April 20, at the preliminary extemporaneous contest of the Northwest Inter-High School association. Her subject was "Old Songs." The other speakers were Misses Ruth Hankins and Lucille Wiley. Piano solos were given during assembly by Misses Helen Dean and Helen Curfman.

The high school try-out in the oratorical and declamatory contests will be held at the school auditorium this evening at 8 o'clock to select the winners. Gold and silver medals are to be given by the school to the winners and they will also represent the school at the Mound City meeting to compete with Atchison, Holt, Andrew, and Buchanan counties. The winners in the Mound City preliminaries will compete in the final contest in Maryville Friday evening, April 27, at the Normal.

The following girls have entered the try-out for this evening: Misses Ruth Hankins, Mary Crowson, Mary Carpenter, Alice Peery, and Della Greene. The boys entered are: Russell Woodward, Clark Evans, Robert Groppe, Martin Lewis and Clifford Hull

Clark Evans was selected yesterday to represent the high school in the boys' extemporaneous contest at Mound City.

MUSICALE AT HOPKINS

Professor Landon, The Rev. Gilbert S. Cox and Prof. Lewis Hakel Give Program for R. N. A.

Maryville musicians gave a splendid program, which was given for a large audience at the Presbyterian church, at Hopkins last night under the auspices of the Royal Neighbors. Prof. P. O. Landon, head of the Maryville Conservatory of Music, was in charge of the program which consisted of vocal selections by the Rev. Gilbert S. Cox, violin numbers by Prof. Fred Lewis Hakel and piano selections by Professor Landon.

The program follows:

Violin, Sonata
(a) Largo
(b) Presto.
(c) Andante.
(d) Allegro.
Mr. Hakel.

Songs.
(a) A song of Joy (Deacon).
(b) Macushla (Mac Morrough)
(c) Sunbeams (L. Ronald)
Mr. Cox.

Violin.
(a) Romance from Concerto in D Minor (Wieniauski)
(b) Souvenir (Drdla)
Mr. Hakel.

Piano.
(a) Waltz in A flat (Chopin)
(b) Rustling Spring (Sinding)
Professor Landon.

Songs.
(a) Who Knows? (Ball)
(b) Mother O'Mine (Wurs)
(c) A Red, Red Rose (Hastings)
(d) The Year's at the Spring (Mrs. Beach)
Mr. Cox.

Violin.
(a) Serenata (Moskowski)
(b) Mazurka (Wieniauski)
Mr. Hakel.

Songs with violin obligato.
(a) I Do Not Ask (Spross)
(b) The Day Is Ended (Bartlett)
(c) For All Eternity (Mascheroni)
Mr. Cox.

Dr. Fred Walk arrived in Maryville yesterday to visit his mother, Mrs. A. Walk, who underwent a serious operation several weeks ago and is very ill

GREAT SPORT EVENT

THE NORTHWEST MISSOURI H. S. TRACK MEET IN TWO WEEKS.

100 SCHOOLS INVITED

Meet Compares Favorably With Other Meets in State—Many Stars Into the Limelight Here.

The seventh annual track and field meet of the Northwest Missouri Inter-High School association, the greatest sport event of the year for Maryville, is but two weeks distant. The dates set for this year are Friday and Saturday, April 27 and 28. The meet was held in May last year, but in order that conflicts with other meets of this section might be avoided the April dates were chosen for this year.

The track meet is held in connection with the literary events, consisting of declamatory, oratorical, extemporaneous, and song contests. These contests will be held on the evening of April 27th in the Normal auditorium.

The track meet will be held on the afternoon of the following day, April 28th. It is this event which is looked forward to most eagerly by sport followers. The meet compares very favorably with other meets in the state and several famous athletes have first come into the limelight here. Preeminent among these is "Peerless Bob" Simpson, who has become internationally famous. Simpson established several records here, all of which have since been broken.

Prof. Herman P. Swinehart, corresponding secretary of the association, has sent out invitations for the combined track and literary events to more than a hundred schools. The following schools are members of the association:

Albany, Altamont, Agency, Amity, Amazonia, Avalon, Barnard, Bethany, Bigelow, Blythedale, Bogard, Bolckow, Bosworth, Braymer, Breckenridge, Burlington Junction, Calnesville, Camden Point, Cameron, Carrollton, Chillicothe, Chula, Clarksdale, Clearmont, Coffey, Corning, Cowgill, Craig, Darlington, Dawn, Dearborn, Dewitt, Eaglesville, Easton, Edgerton, Elmo, Excelsior Springs, Fairfax, Faucett, Fillmore, Forest City, Fortescue, Gallatin, Galt, Gentry, Guilford, Gilman City, Gower, Graham, Grant City, Hale, Hardin, Hamilton, Helena, Henrietta, Holt, Hopkins, Jameson, Jamesport, Kearney, King City, Kingston.

Laredo, Lawson, Lathrop, Liberty, Linden, Lock Springs, Ludlow, McFall, Maitland, Maryville, Maysville, Mercer, Missouri City, Mound City, Mooresville, Mount Moriah, New Hampton, Norborne, Oregon, Orrick, Osborn, Parnell, Pattonsburg, Pickering, Platte City, Plattsburg, Polo, Princeton.

Ravenwood, Richmond, Rayville, Ridgeway, Rockport, Rushville, Rosendale, St. Joseph, Savannah, Sheridan, Skidmore, Smithville, Spickard, Stanberry, Stewartsville, Tarkio, Tina, Trenton, Trimble, Turney, Union Star, Utica, Watson, Westboro, Weston, Wheeling, Windsor, Winston.

ARKOE RESIDENT DIES

Stephen Williams, 84, Had Lived in Nodaway County 36 Years — Funeral Tomorrow.

Stephen Williams, 84 years old, died at 3 o'clock this morning at his home in Arkoe after suffering several years of paralysis.

Mr. Williams was born in Holmes county, Indiana, December 2, 1833, and lived there until he was about fifteen years old, when he moved with his parents to Iowa, where he was married to Martha E. Dyson, on January 7, 1855. Mr. and Mrs. Williams later came to Kansas and then moved to Missouri, settling in Nodaway county, where they have lived for 36 years.

Ten children were born to this union, four of whom died. Mr. Williams is survived by his wife and six children, who are: Mrs. Sarah Collins, George and Daniel Williams of Arkoe, Mrs. H. M. Pope, and Stephen Burk Williams of Maryville and Willard Williams of Barnard.

Funeral services will be held at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon at the Salem church, southwest of Arkoe, conducted by the Rev. Mr. Chapman of Rosendale. Burial will be in the Salem cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. James Strickler and son Bert, of Skidmore were in Maryville yesterday.

MINISTERS LIKE MARYVILLE

Pass Resolutions Thanking Church Members for Hospitality at Closing Session of Conference.

Resolutions thanking the people of Maryville for their hospitality, commending the Maryville newspapers for the publicity given the meetings endorsing President Wilson's stand on the war question and thanking the Normal quartet for the music furnished Wednesday evening were passed by the South Methodist ministers of the St. Joseph district at the closing session of the conference yesterday afternoon.

Judge W. H. Utz, Dr. Daniel Morton and the Rev. Fred Smallwood of St. Joseph and A. T. Stinson of Maryville were chosen as delegates to attend the annual conference of South Methodist ministers to be held at Richmond, Mo., September 1

Reports from nineteen out of twenty-three charges in this district show that the church has gained 538 members since the last report made in September.

THE BARNARD MEET

THREE TOWNSHIPS COMPETE FOR TRACK HONORS HERE.

THE BAND WILL PLAY

Order of Events Includes Track and Field Numbers—Begins at 1:30 o'Clock.

The track meet for the grade pupils of Grant Washington and White Cloud townships will be held at Barnard tomorrow, beginning at 1:30 o'clock. Music will be furnished by the Barnard band.

The order of events and prizes to be given are.

100-yard dash, boys, A — Tennis racket, Bear Drug Store.

100-yard dash, boys, B—Cap, Cross & Hartley.

50-yard dash, girls, A—$1.00, Farmers Lumber Co.

50-yard dash, girls, B—1 pound candy, "Fatty."

Sack race, boys, A, B and C—Pearl handled knife, McCleave Hardware Co.

Running broad jump, boys, A—Hat, Cross & Hartley.

Running broad jump, boys, B—50c cash.

High jump, boys, A—$1.00, Farmers & Citizens Bank.

High jump, boys, B—50c, Farmers State Bank.

High jump, boys, C—50c cash.

Single relay race, girls, A and B—$1.00.

20-yard dash, girls, C—(Rural), 50c, State Bank.

20-yard dash, girls, C (Town) — Box candy, Tuilock's Barber Shop.

Nail driving contest, girls, A and B (Rural)—Spring dress, Stalling-Cook.

Nail driving contest, A and B (Town)—2-lb choice candy, Sell Restaurant.

Adult Contest.

1. 100-yard dash for men—Hair cut and shave, Thompsons, Barber Shop.
2. Horse shoe pitching contest — 50c roast, Meat Market.
3. Twine winding contest for women — Years' subscription for Barnard Bulletin.

Pole vault, boys, A — $1.00, State Bank.

Pole vault, boys, B—50c, Farmers & Citizens Bank.

50-yard dash, boys, C—50c, Farmers & Citizens Bank.

Flag relay race, girls, A and B (group of six)—$1.50, State Bank.

Wheelbarrow race, boys, C — Two pounds candy, Mendenhall Restaurant.

Potato race, boys, C — Base ball glove, Hargrave & Goff.

Discus throw, girls, A—10 tickets to McFay Theatre.

Discus throw, girls, B—Choice sport

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TO BEGIN BLOCKADE

GERMANS WILL DECLARE CERTAIN PARTS "DEFENSIVE AREAS."

ALONG ATLANTIC COAST

Ships Are Warned to Comply With Restrictions or They Will be Fired Upon Without Question.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, April 13.—That Germany will declare a "submarine blockade" off the Atlantic coast of the United States was said in diplomatic circles today to be almost certain. Official announcement was made of the establishment of the war zone about American ports and certain prescribed areas of American waters were termed "A Defensive Area." Ships are warned to comply strictly with the restrictions imposed upon traffic vessels entering these areas and after sunset will be fired upon without question.

It was officially announced that two high officials of the aerial councils of France and England will soon come to America to aid the government in laying plans for huge aerial force.

The Senate interstate commerce commission this afternoon voted to recommend the passage of the Webb export bill, one of the measures strongly urged by President Wilson in the last session. The bill permits American exporters to combine maintenance and selling agencies abroad.

The re-drafting of the administration espionage bills which died in the legislative blockade last congress was completed by the Senate judiciary committee this afterncon and will be reported Monday.

Every state in the union was asked today by the council of national defense to create a state council of national defense.

STOLE CHICKENS, CHARGE

Curtis Adams Arrested By Sheriff Dowden, After Selling Birds At Grocery Store.

Sacking chickens and selling them to the grocers was easy work, but it brought disaster to Curtis Adams of Maryville, who was arrested by Sheriff John Dowden last night on a charge of robbing the hen coops of Ernest and Wilson Wray, living near the Myrtle Tree neighborhood.

According to the charge, Adams would hire a horse and buggy and at nightfall proceed to the hen houses where reposed the White Wyandotte and the Barred Rock biddies of the Wrays and would stow away a couple of dozen in sacks. Then he would proceed to Orrsburg and surprise the early grocer with a magnificent offer of fine fat chickens for sale.

His first haul, says the information, brought him the sum of $14.24 and the second time he was paid $16.92 for the chickens that he brought. He was living well until the authorities working on a "tip" which they unexpectedly secured, brought the young man's lucrative business to a sad end.

Adams is now in the county jail. He appeared before Justice of the Peace W. L. Johnson this morning, waived formal arraignment and was bound over to the circuit court. His case will come up tomorrow.

Adams' parents live at Harrisonville.

AUSTRIAN MINISTER ASKS PASSPORTS.

Special to the Democrat-Forum.

Rio Janerio, April 13. — It is announced today that the Austrian minister has asked for his passports. Brazil has decided to arm all ships sailing for the "barred zone."

THE WEATHER.

Generally fair tonight and Saturday, probably frost tonight south and east portions; warmer Saturday east and south portions.

Feature Tonight
EMPIRE Theatre
10 and 15 cents
William A. Brady
In Association with World Pictures presents
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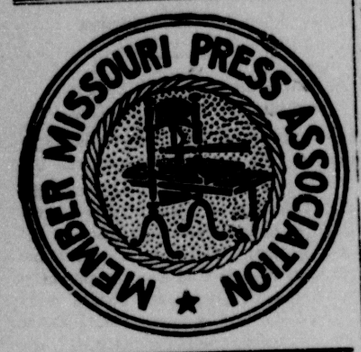

BETTER THAN CALOMEL

Thousands Have Discovered Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets are a Harmless Substitute

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets—the substitute for calomel—are a mild but sure laxative, and their effect on the liver is almost instantaneous. They are the result of Dr. Edwards' determination not to treat liver and bowel complaints with calomel. His efforts to banish it brought out these little olive-colored tablets.

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DIES AT HOSPITAL NO. 2

Miss Lillie Hughbanks to be Brought to Home of Brother for Burial.

Miss Lillie Hughbanks, 44 years old, died this morning at hospital No. 2 in St. Joseph. The body will arrive in Maryville tonight and will be taken to the home of her brother, L. Hughbanks, west of Maryville.

Funeral services will be held Sunday, April 15, at the Wesley Chapel and burial will be in the Cain cemetery.

Miss Hughbanks is survived by three brothers, Roy, Lorace and Reuben Hughbanks, all of near Maryville. She has always lived near Maryville.

CHARLES SCHIMMING DEAD.

Week's Illness of Nephritis and Pneumonia Fatal to Maryville Resident.

Charles Schimming, about 45 years old, died about noon at his home on East First street, after a week's illness from nephritis and pneumonia.

Mr. Schimming had lived for many years on a farm six miles southeast of Maryville and had moved into Maryville only recently. He is survived by a wife and five children.

GARDNER PRACTICES ECONOMY.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Jefferson City, April 13.—Governor Gardner will not even show any favoritism toward himself in his economy campaign. He will get along without a secretary after this week when his private secretary, Noah W. Simpson, will become a member of the State Service Commission. By so doing he will save $2,500. There are two female stenographers and a male clerk in the executive office. The Governor feels that he can get along with them.

Jerome Bemis of Burlington Junction was in Maryville yesterday on business.

WILCOX WINS THE CUP

Gets Prize Offered for Largest Percentage of Members Present at I. O. O. F. Meeting at Graham.

Wilcox was the winner of the silver loving cup offered by grand secretary Ben Weidel to the I. O. O. F. having the largest percentage of its resident members at the quarterly meeting at Graham yesterday.

The lodges were represented as follows: Wilcox, 33; Maryville, 21; Ravenwood, 14; Skidmore, 25; Quitman, 2; Barnard 3; Clearmont 5; Guilford 8; and Burlington Junction 12.

The afternoon session began with a program. The invocation was given by Mr. Owens of Skidmore, and the Welcome address was made by J. W. Decker. After the response by L. D. Jordon a quartet consisting of Cecil Long, Elwood Miller, Harry Bennett and Marvin Mowry, with Vera Long, pianaist, gave several selections. The Rev. S. D. Harlan, pastor of the Christion church at Graham, gave an excellent address, and also gave the benediction at the close of the program.

At the business session the following officers were elected for the quarter. President, L. B. Campbell, Barnard; vice-president, Joseph Thompson, Guilford; secretary, George Cole, Barnard; and treasurer, Ray Strickler, Skidmore.

In the evening two candidates, Alva Hill and James C. Early both of Graham, were initiated. The initiatory degree work was given by Wilcox lodge; the first degree work by Skidmore, the second degree work by Graham and the third degree work by Maryville.

The next quarterly meeting of the lodge will be held at Barnard the second Thursday in July.

THE BARNARD MEET

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hat, Stalling-Cook.

Shot-put, boys, A—$1.00, State Bank.

Shot-put, boys, B—50c, State Bank.

Three-legged race, boys, C — $1.00, Bulletin.

Egg race, girls, A and B — Hand-painted china plate, Stalling-Cook.

MRS. VAN AUSDALL DIES

Skidmore Woman Survived by Husband and Four Children—No Funeral Arrangements.

Mrs. Louisa Van Ausdall died at 1 o'clock today at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Clyde Barrett near Skidmore, following a few weeks' illness. Mrs. Van Ausdall is survived by her husband and four children. They are: Mrs. Clyde Barrett, and Quincy Van Ausdall of Skidmore, Seneca Van Ausdall of Burlington Junction and Harry Van Ausdall of Iowa.

Funeral arrangements have not yet been made.

Pearl Green and family have moved from 118 South Saunders street to 1002 East Fourth street.

Mrs. Del Thompson of Skidmore was a dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. M. Ray, today.

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Simply get an ounce of othine — double strength—from any druggist and a few applications should show you how easy it is to rid yourself of the homely freckles and get a beautiful complexion. Rarely is more than one ounce needed for the worst case.

Be sure to ask the druggist for the double strength othine as this is the prescription sold under guarantee of money back if it fails to remove freckles.

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See Our Windows

Normal Ahead at 4th Inning.

At the end of the first half of the fourth inning in the baseball game between the Maryville Normal and the Christian Brothers College of St. Joseph, the score is 10-0 in favor of Maryville. K. Van Cleve is pitching and has only allowed the college boys two hits so far.

GARDNER IS SAVING

VETOES APPROPRIATION BILLS TOTALING $852,294.

ALLOWS $15,750 EXPENSE

States That Money to Pay $200,000 in Back Pensions Will Be Borrowed.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Jefferson City, April 13.—Details regarding the cuts made by Governor Gardner in the various appropriation measures passed by the Forty-ninth General Assembly, have just been made public by the Governor's office.

The Governor vetoed bills carrying $852,294 and is withholding appropriations totaling $1,394,040, making a total result of the state executive's slicing operations $2,246,334.

The Governor vetoed $144,093 of educational appropriations and withheld $284,800. He vetoed $243,299 from appropriations for the eleemosynary institutions and withheld $154,450.

He approved expense measures totaling $15,750, this being the estimated amount of the revenues for 1917 and 1918.

The Governor vetoed the following appropriations:

$240,000 for Confederate pensions; $50,000 for the Blind Commission; $100,000 for the penitentiary; $34,105 for the three industrial schools; $30,000 for a new kitchen at the executive mansion; $30,000 for a tuberculosis hospital in Jasper county; $30,700 for St. Joseph and Verona Fish Hatcheries; $78,000 for a new building and improvement at the overcrowded colony for feeble-minded at Marshall.

For the Maryville State Normal School, $8,000 was held up and $8,000 vetoed.

The following expense measures were withheld by the Governor:

$14,000 for four additional rural school inspectors in the Department of Education; $1,120,000 for the penitentiary and the three industrial schools; $50,000 for public printing and $50 for state warehouse commission.

Governor Gardner approved $8,249,908 for public education, including $5,250,000 for the public schools, $651,070 for philanthropies and $983,753 for the penitentiary and industrial schools.

He allowed $20,000 of the Kelly and Kelly claim for selling Capitol bonds. The legislature appropriated $25,000.

H. G. Clymer and H. H. Henenschild St. Louis architects, received an appropriation of $5,750 for services on a new cell building. The governor approved $2,000 as settlement in full.

Back Confederate pensions amounting to $200,000 were approved by the Governor. He stated that it would be necessary to borrow the money to pay these pensions.

Governor Gardner has signed all appropriation bills that met with his approval.

IN GERMAN CONSPIRACY.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

El Paso, April 13.—Federal officers arrested Vincent Andrews a wealthy banker and two brothers on indictment of conspiracy to ship arms and ammunition in Mexico. All are of German descent.

BRITISH STILL GAINING

Capture Additional Fortified Villages on Front, East of Arras With Heavy Fighting.

London, April 13. — Pressing forward over a wide front east of Arras, the British have captured a number of additional fortified villages, points of support and strips of woodland from the Germans.

There is heavy fighting north of Margicourt, where the Germans put up a strong resistance to the advance of the British.

FRENCH CAPTURE TRENCHES.

Paris, April 13.—Several lines of German trenches northwest of St. Quentin were captured by the French this morning and a number of German prisoners and machine guns were captured. Violent artillery duelling along the front.

Fourteen hundred pints of whiskey and beer now in the safe of Sheriff David of Clinton county are being used with telling effect by the prosecuting attorney, F. B. Klepper. And to get the effect it is not necessary to use the contents—only the labels showing the names of the persons selling them and the witnesses of the sales. Several convictions have been secured with sentences of six to nine months at hard labor on the county roads.

MAY SEIZE RAILROADS

Bill in House Would Give President Power to Seize Public Service Utilities.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, April 13. — President Wilson would be given complete authority to seize and operate railroads and the telegraph and telephone lines of the country for the period of war by the terms of a bill introduced in the house today by Chairman Adamson of the Interstate Foreign Commerce committee.

With no limitation placed on debate the house today begun consideration of 7 billion dollar bond issue bill. It is a foregone conclusion that it will go through the house with a big majority.

GREEK STEAMER SUNK.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

London, April 13. — The Greek steamer, Nestos, which sailed from New York, March 13, with a cargo of wheat, was sunk by a submarine, says an Athens dispatch.

U. S. REAR ARMIRAL TO LONDON.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

London, April 13. — Rear Admiral Sims of the United States navy has arrived in London. The object of his mission is unknown, but he will probably remain for some time.

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were eased by the dogs who licked the infected places, but they were not cured. Many modern people employ the same method in their treatment of boils, pimples, rashes, carbuncles, eczema and other skin diseases. They apply a salve or lotion to the sore places and fondly imagine they have cured them. The important fact which they fail to recognize is, that these skin diseases are diseases of the blood, and that no external treatment can permanently cure them, because they are essentially internal ailments. S. S. S. is the only proper remedy for this breaking out of the skin, because it acts upon the blood, cleansing and revitalizing it, and removing the cause of infection. It should be borne in mind that S. S. S. is purely vegetable, made from native roots, herbs and barks, and that it contains no habit-forming drugs or other injurious ingredients. Obtain a bottle of S. S. S. from your druggist and if you need the advice of a physician, write to the Medical Department, Swift Specific Co., 301 Swift Building, Atlanta, Ga.

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Division "E" Meets.

Division "E" of the Ladies' Aid society of the Christian church held a social meeting yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Ellis Cook, with Mrs. J. S. Shinabargar and Mrs. L. C. Cook, as assistant hostesses. Thirteen members and one visitor, Mrs. Ray Wilfley, of Steele City, Neb., were present. The next social meeting will be in May, with Mrs. Shinabargar.

For Carl Reimer.

Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Reimer entertained a party of little folks Wednesday night in honor of the eighth birthday anniversary of their son, Carl. Games and contests were played from 7 until 9 o'clock. The prizes going to Leola Miller and Billy Bailey. Dainty refreshments were served. Those present were: Billy Bailey, Leola and Harold Miller, Clarence Lloyd, Donald Herndon, Lucile and Harlan Strong, Virginia Curnutt, John and Mary Dougan, Robert Cook, John and Ralph Curfman and Francis Parle.

Romine-Holliday Wedding.

Mrs. Ida Romine and C. E. Holliday, both of Skidmore, were quietly married at high noon in St. Joseph on Thursday, March 29, at White Temple. Rev. C. C. Woods, pastor of the church officiated.

Mr. and Mrs. Holliday have been friends since childhood, having attended school together.

Mrs. Holliday is a woman of culture and refinement and Mr. Holliday is a wealthy young farmer. Both bride and groom have a host of friends who join in wishing them a long and happy life.

Mrs. Claud Shell, Hostess.

Mrs. Claud Shell was hostess to the I. I. club, Wednesday afternoon. The meeting opened with roll call followed by a short program. Refreshments consisting of sandwiches, jelly cake and coffee were served by the hostess. The visitors present were: Grandma Kinsley, Mrs. James Onstott, Mrs. V. A. Guthrie and Mrs. Jesse Onstott. The members present were: Mrs. Byron Kinsley, Mrs. Ed Seipel, Mrs. Allen Haller, Mrs. Lon Hughes, Mrs. Ed Babb, Mrs. Will Osborn, Mrs. John Halasey, Mrs. Brice Hall, Miss Jennie Duncan, Miss Lydia Onstott, Miss Irene Babb and Miss Leda Babb. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Elihu Shell on April 25.

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Willing Helpers Meet.

The Pioneer Willing Helpers club met with Mrs. E. Dickey, Wednesday, April 11. The day was spent in quilting for the hostess. At noon dinner was served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. Claud Neville. The house was decorated in the club colors and flags. The prize for the most quilting was won by Mrs. George Gay. A short business session was held. The members present were: Mrs. George Gay, Mrs. William Rhodes, Mrs. I. V. Moore, Mrs. M. Swearingen, Mrs. J. R. Lawson, Mrs. O. Heflin, Mrs. Fred Buck, Mrs. George Wright, Mrs. C. C. Moore, Mrs. Claud Neville, Mrs. Roy Gay and Miss Anna Shank. The next meeting will be with Mrs. George Gay, Wednesday, April 25.

Country Club Has Last Evening Meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Trullinger and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Trullinger were the hosts and hostesses to the Country club which met last night at their home west of Maryville. Games and music furnished amusements for the evening. Light refreshments were served by the hostesses. The following guests were present: Mr. and Mrs. William Davenport, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Shelton Mr. and Mrs. W. A. White, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Willhoyte, Mr. and Mrs. William Job, Sr., Mr. and Mrs. J. C. White, Mr. and Mrs. Arch Willhoyte, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Knabb, Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Willhoyte, Mr. and Mrs. William Job, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Frank Miller, Mrs. M. J. Willhoyte, Mrs. O. L. Shell, Mrs. Ethel Lincoln, Misses Neva Owens, Leora Willhoyte, Edna Davenport, Elizabeth Lee, Beulah Miller; Ray Zimmerman, Wilbe Nicholas, Earl Lennox of South Dakota, Amos Shell, Frank Piece, Leo Owens and Raymond Job. Last night was the last of the evening meetings. The next meeting will be Thursday afternoon, April 26.

Mrs. Gillam, Hostess.

The April meeting of the Woman's Missionary society of the Presbyterian church was held yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. S. G. Gillam, who was assisted by Mrs. G. H. Colbert and Mrs. J. F. Colby. Mrs. Gallatin Craig led the devotional exercises. Mrs. S. E. Farmer read a paper on "Negro Child Life," and Mrs. H. A. Foster gave a talk on Freedmen's Schools. Mrs. Gillam presided at the Victrola and several negro melodies were played to illustrate points brought out in the two preceding discussions. Mrs. Colbert conducted the roll call to prayer, which was followed by a paper on the Punjab Mission of India. by Mrs. Fred Yoemans.

Miss Lucie Davis president of the society, gave a report of the Presbytery held in St. Joseph last week. At this meeting Miss Davis was elected a vice-president. Mrs. Frank White, who was a visitor, was received as a new member.

Entertain C. R. C. Ball Team.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Farrell entertained at 1 o'clock dinner today at their home on South Main street. Plates were laid for the members of the ball team of the Christian Brothers College of St. Joseph, Rev. Brother Eugene, Mark Gilfoile of Jaunita, Kan., Martin, Thomas and Ella Farrell of Parnell and Miss Lorene Thompson of Guilford.

MUST LEAVE SERVICE

Barry Issues Order to Those With Dependent Families.

Chicago, April 13.—National guardsmen who have families dependent on them must leave the service, regardless of any desire to remain on duty according to an order issued by Maj. Gen. Thomas H. Berry, commanding the central department, U. S. A., today. This order supersedes a previous one which made retirements merely a privilege.

The order barring from service those who have dependent families applies only to enlisted men and not to officers of the national guard.

Investigate Credit Bureau.

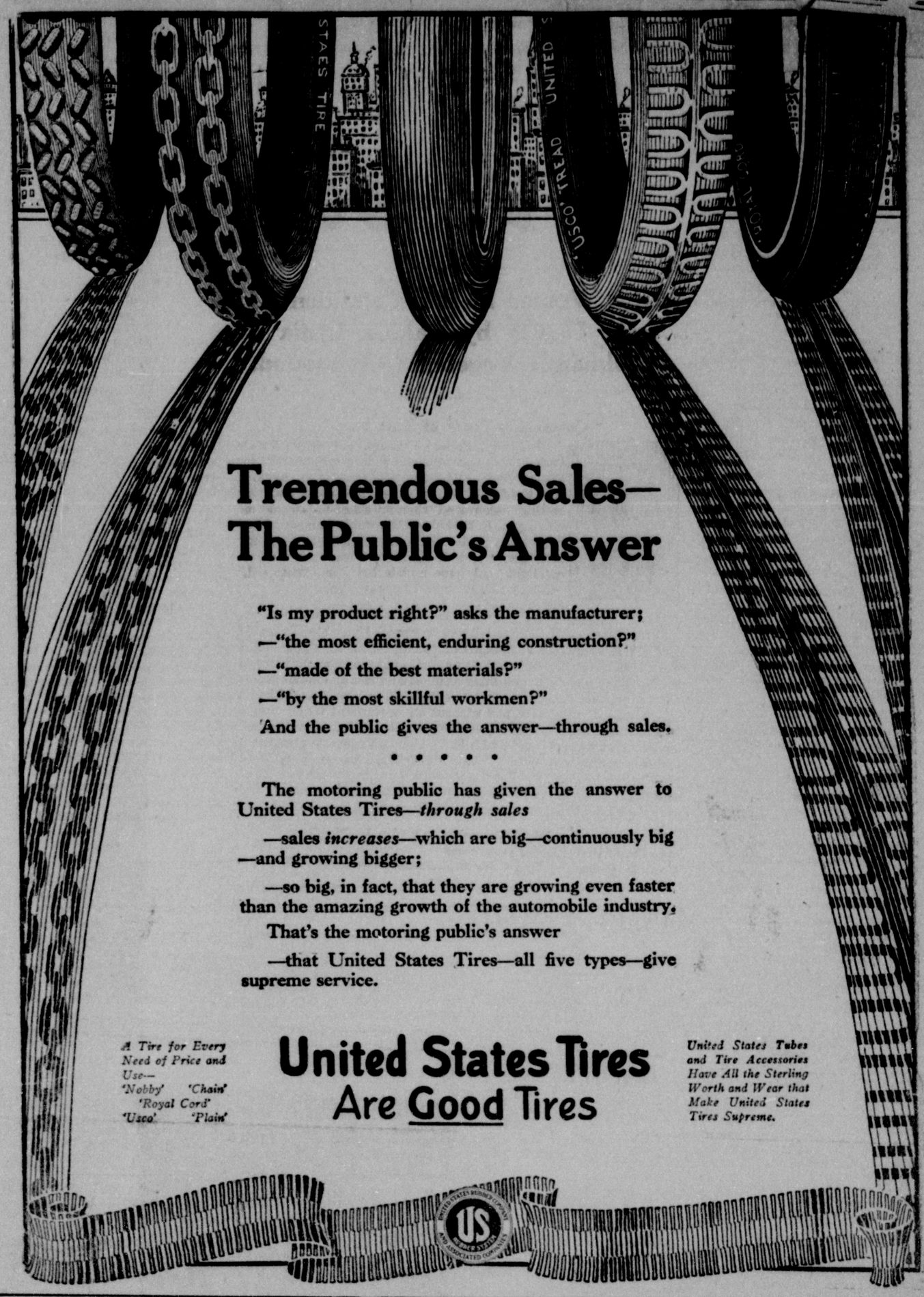
J. F. Leonard of Winterset, Ia., was in Maryville today investigating the workings of the Credit Rating Bureau which is run in connection with the Commercial Club. He is secretary of the Commercial Club at Winterset.

Want Delegates at Meeting.

Secretary E. M. Claypool of the Commercial Club sent letters to each of the directors of the Nodaway County Automobile and Good Roads Clubs urging them to send delegates to the Good Roads' meeting which will be held at the Elks Club at St. Joseph next Monday afternoon.

Two dogs are dead as the result of an attempt to poison a Plattsburg farmer. This man had trouble with a colored man and woman in his employ and that night something was wrong with the biscuits which the colored cook prepared. Suspicious prevented the intended victim from eating the biscuits, however and they were thrown out. The subsequent effect on the dogs that ate them will doubtless be the chief evidence in prosecuting the cook for intended manslaughter.

Never recovering from the shock of being threatened and robbed in his home near Cora on the night of March 6, Uncle Robert Stephenson, aged 91, died last week and his aged wife, who was kicked twice by the burglars is in a serious condition. One of the robbers has been caught.



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LITERARY CONTEST AT B. J.

Five Students From High School Will Go to Mound City, Friday, April 20.

Misses Clellah Headrick, Hulda Barber and Gladys Praiswater; Loren Hackett and Francis Walton were the winners in the literary contest try-out held at the Burlington Junction High School Tuesday night for the purpose of selecting representatives to the Mound City preliminary, April 20.

Miss Headrick will give a reading at the preliminary, Miss Barber will enter the song contest, Miss Praiswater will give the extemporaneous speech for the girls and Mr. Walton for the boys, and the oration will be given by Mr. Hackett.

The judges were the Rev. Horace S. Weaver, Mrs. Mark Hiles and Robert Caudle.

J. L. Henry Improving.

Word has been received here that Engineer J. L. Henry, who was recently compelled to undergo a severe operation at the Mayo hospital at Rochester, Minn., is steadily improving. For a time his condition was very critical and little hope for recovery entertained, but it is now the opinion of his physicians that, while it will take some time for him to recover from the effects of the operation, he will be in better condition than he has been for many years.—Conception Courier.

Mills Crane Improving.

Mrs. A. B. Crane went to St. Joseph Tuesday morning to spend two or three days with her son, Mills Crane, who underwent an operation at the Sisters' hospital for appendicitis three weeks ago. Mills is recovering nicely and will be able to return home the last of this week.—Burlington Junction Post.

Sunday's Band Concert

The following program will be given by the band at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon at the Empire Theatre.

March—"Light Cavalry, Poet and Peasant, (Lake).

Overture—"Semiramidae" (Rossini)

Medley Two-Step—"Hello Hawaii, How Are You?" (Schwartz)

Cornet Solo—Selected (Campbell).

"Humoreske" (Wheeler).

Medley Two-Step—"Robinson Crusoe Jr," (Meyers).

Violin Solo—Selected, by Prof. Fred Lewis Hakel. Miss Vesta Peterman, accompanist.

International Transcription of the American Folk Song in the Musical Idiom of Eight Nations. "Way Down Upon the Swanee Ribber," "Old Folks at Home," and "In Foreign Lands."

March—"Chicago Tribune"(Chambers).

WOMEN TO ECONOMIZE.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Kansas City, April 13.—Following Mrs. Wilson's lead, leading women will start to economize. One of the wealthiest women of the city is plowing up a part of her beautiful lawn to plant potatoes.

Will Organize Sunday School.

Mrs. C. R. Harmon of Pickering will organize a Sunday School at the Xenia school house, four miles northeast of Pickering, at 2:30 o'clock Sunday afternoon.

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BLOOD POISONING FATAL

Joseph James, 76 Years Old, A Former Resident of Skidmore, Dies at St. Joseph.

Joseph Asbury James, a former resident of Skidmore died at 9:30 o'clock yesterday morning at a St. Joseph hospital from blood poisoning contracted as a result of trimming his corns.

Mr. James, who was 76 years old, was a retired carpenter. He had lived at St. Joseph since 1895, having lived at Skidmore before that time. He is survived by his wife, four daughters and three sons. The daughters and sons are. Mrs. Maggie Smith and Mrs. C. G. Kimmel, St. Joseph; Mrs. Hattie Douglass, Mrs. Mata Jennings, and Fred James, Greeley, Colo.; Jacob E. James, Maryville, and William A. James, Skidmore.

Mr. James was a member of Custer Post, G. A. R., at St. Joseph.

Funeral services will be held at 11 o'clock Sunday morning at the Burr Oak church, conducted by Rev. Mr. Petree of St. Joseph. Burial will be in the Burr Oak cemetery.

FIRE AT STRANGE AEROPLANE.

Boston, April 13.—Massachusetts guardsmen on sentry duty near Portsmouth this morning fired two shots at an aeroplane which came from the direction of the sea flying high, according to a dispatch to the Boston American. The aviator paid no attention to shots.

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FOR SALE—Studebaker roadster in A 1 condition, cheap for cash. Address P. O. box 105 or call Hanamo 499. 10-16*

FOR SALE—Plymouth Rock eggs for hatching, $3.00 per 100, 65c per 15. Mrs. James Potter, Pickering Mo. 10-16

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Bought Reed Farm.

George M. Jones has bought the F. E. Reed farm of 80 acres located southwest of Burlington Junction. The land joins the Jones land and is a valuable addition to this big farm. The consideration was $125 an acre. Mr. Reed has rented the place for this year.—Burlington Junction Post.

Sam Webb of Burlington Junction was a Maryville visitor yesterday.

Read Democrat-Forum Want Ads.

War is on But we're not gone

I am raising seed to buy the uniform.
The seedy man on the seedy side,
Is here to make you hop and slide.
The wheat, the rye and the clover you know,
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Mrs. Lindsey Now Keeps House For Seven.

Tennille, Ga.—"I want to tell you how much I have been benefited by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. About eight years ago I got in such a low state of health I was unable to keep house for three in the family. I had dull, tired, dizzy feelings, cold feet and hands nearly all the time and could scarcely sleep at all. The doctor said I had a severe case of ulceration and without an operation I would always be an invalid, but I told him I wanted to wait awhile. Our druggist advised my husband to get Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and it has entirely cured me. Now I keep house for seven and work in the garden some, too. I am so thankful I got this medicine. I feel as though it saved my life and have recommended it to others and they have been benefited".—Mrs. W. E. Lindsey, R. R. 3, Tennille, Ga.

If you want special advice write to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co. (confidential) Lynn, Mass. Your letter will be opened, read and answered by a woman and held in strict confidence.

MARKET REPORTS

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

Grain Market Futures.

Special to Democrat-Forum.

Kansas City, April 13.— WHEAT—May, $2.33; July, $1.88.

CORN—May, $1.39⅛; July, $1.33⅜.

Kansas City Live Stock.

Kansas City, April 13.—CATTLE — Receipts, 300; nothing good.

HOGS—Receipts, 2,500; top, $16.00; bulk, $15.50@$16.10.

SHEEP—Receipts, none, market steady.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, April 13.—CATTLE— Receipts, 2,000; market steady.

HOGS—Receipts, 13,000; market, steady; top, $16.45.

SHEEP—Receipts, 9,000; market, steady.

St. Joseph Live Stock.

St. Joseph, April 13.—CATTLE—Receipts, 400; market, steady.

HOGS—Receipts, 3,000; market steady; top, $16.15.

SHEEP—Receipts, 5,000; market, steady.

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Spent $11.75 in Race.

Dave Cornett spent $11.75 in his race for constable of Polk township, and H. M. Souers' campaign expenses for the nomination of assessor were $11.40.

C. D. Caldwell has a new Haynes touring car which he pruchased Friday of Walter Wray of Maryville. The dealer took the Caldwell Oldsmobile in exchange on the new car.—Burlington Junction Post.

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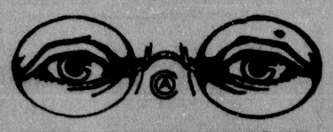

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HAWES AT ROAD MEETING

Will Be At St. Joseph Next Monday In the Interest of the New Highway Laws.

Hon. Harry B. Hawes, author of the new state road law giving assent to federal aid for road and bridge construction and creating a new State Highway Department, will speak at the six divisional meetings announced by the board, as follows:

St. Joseph, April 16; Hannibal, April 17; Jefferson City, April 19; Joplin, April 20; Springfield, April 21; Cape Girardeau, April 23.

Mr. Hawes devoted practically all his energies during the 49th General Assembly to road legislation, and was successful in securing the passage of what is regarded by the United States Department at Washington as "the model road law of America."

It will be a personal sacrifice for Mr. Hawes to give the time required to accompany the board on its itinerary, and the people of our county should avail themselves of the opportunity to hear this distinguished citizen.

"TILLIE WAKES UP."

Good Comedy Picture at the Empire Theatre Tonight.

Everybody enjoys good comedy, yet good comedy pictures are few and far between. There are numerous pictures of the much over-worked slap-stick-kick-'em-in-the-face brand being featured, but this is becoming exceedingly tiresome. The world realized the want for good laugh producers and have assembled an excellent cast, including Johnny Hines, to aid the well-known comedy character—Tillie—Marie Dressler.

This pretentious comedy feature has been called "Tillie Wakes Up," and is a veritable scream from start to finish. The patrons of the Empire Theatre certainly are in for a treat tonight when this play will be shown.

Notice.

Three teachers to teach in rural schools in Graham consolidated district, must have second grade certificate or better and experience. Salary $60 per month. Also High School teacher wanted, qualified to teach physical geography, English history and two years of agriculture in a first class high school. Salary $70 per month. Personal application required. W. H. Morris, clerk. 13-16

To Galli-Curci and Ganz Recital.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Robinson went to St. Joseph yesterday afternoon to attend the Galli-Curci and Ganz recital at the auditorium last night.

Lee Griffin, director of the Iowa Scandinavian Band of Dayton, Ia., is in Maryville visiting with friends.

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Pickering Circuit M. E. Church.

While the storm of Saturday and muddy roads on Sunday interferred somewhat with the attendance at the services last Sunday, yet considering everything, a good showing was made, 127 being present at the Sunday School at Pickering.

We were disappointed in not being able to go to Mt. Pleasant for the afternoon service but were given an excellent musical program by our choir at the evening service in Pickering.

Next Sabbath at 11 o'clock a. m., the baccalaureate service will be held at the Christian church, so we will join in that service. The sermon will be delivered by the pastor of the M. E. church.

The pastor will preach at Mozingo Valley next Sunday evening at 8 o'clock p. m., instead of the morning hour.

Didn't we have a splendid time at the banquet last week? We only wish everyone could have been present.

The committee is now ready to receive your subscription for the church basement and repairs.

You are cordially invited to worship with us.

C. S. Dayhoff, pastor.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hoy of Dwyer, Wyo., were called to Clearmont on account of the serious illness of Mrs. Hoy's father, James Huls.

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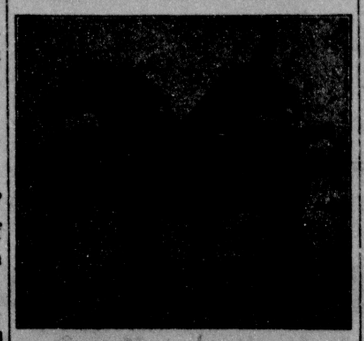

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NEWS DISPATCHES FROM THE INTERNATIONAL NEWS SERVICE.

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CROWD SEES PLAY

EVERY SEAT TAKEN AT THE H. S. FOUR-ACT COMEDY.

DOOR RECEIPTS ARE $175

Specialties Between Acts Given by the Students—Miss Halley Directed Practices for Production.

A packed house witnessed the High School play, "The Private Secretary," presented at the Empire last night, and all are loud in their praises of the production.

The play was a delightful little comedy, full of laughable situations. The acting was excellent for High School pupils. The characters were all well fitted to their parts, and each one performed capably.

The comedy was translated from the German by the advanced German classes under the direction of Miss Laura Hawkins, and the students were trained in the parts by Miss Lois Halley, who has already gained enviable reputation for "putting over" successful High School plays.

The first act opens in London in the rooms of Richard McDonald, the nephew of a rich old man who holds the belief that every young man must "sow his wild oats," before he can amount to anything. Richard, in following his uncle's wishes has become involved in debt, and in order to evade his creditors accompanies his friend, Harry Marsland, to the estate of the latter's uncle. He assumes the role of private secretary to the family, leaving the real secretary in his rooms.

At the Marsland country home, the two young men promptly fall in love with Edith Marsland and her friend, Eva Webster, two very charming but mischievous young ladies. Meanwhile Richard's rich uncle has visited his London apartment for the first time in twenty years, and is enraged to find his supposed nephew to be one of the meek, inoffensive type who shows no evidence of having ever "sowed his wild oats."

He visits his old friend, Mr. Marsland, and is further enraged at the contrast between the vivacious young secretary and his supposed nephew. The plot is further complicated and many comical situations are added by the appearance of Mr. Gibson, a tailor who holds a note and also a grudge against the two young men. He agrees to withhold judgment on condition that he be introduced into the high society circles in which the young men move. His actions are extremely laughable.

At the highest point of the plot the real secretary appears and the remainder of the story is taken up with unravelling the mystery. Richard gets Edith, Harry falls for Eva, Sarah Gildern, the Governess with a taste for spiritualism and a desire for a husband, captures the defenseless secretary, and Mr. McDonald is overjoyed to find his nephew to be a scapegrace after his own heart.

To pick the stars would be impossible without playing favorites. The most prominent parts were of course those already given. The entire cast of characters was as follows:

Mr. Marsland, English land owner, B. E. Condon.

Edith, his daughter, Mary Margaret Richey.

Harry Marsland, his nephew, Virgil Rathbun.

Mr. McDonald, Lester Masters.

Richard McDonald, his nephew, Clarence Cook.

Eva Webster, friend of Edith, Mary Louise Andrews.

Mr. Gibson, a tailor, Donald Hagins.

Sarah Gildern, the governess, Abbie Bell Colden.

Robert Crane, a private secretary, Elmer Allen.

Mrs. Dixon, landlady of Richard, Erma Greene.

Mr. Armadale and Mr. Wooford, two young gentlemen Loren Egley and Jay Pucket.

John, a butler, Roland Curnutt.

Servants, policemen and porters, Chilton Robinson and Paul Miller.

Specialties were given between all the acts. The biggest hit of the evening was the Hawaiian chorus composed of Misses Leeta Wray, Leska Wray, Wave Hulet, Dorothy McDonald, Mary Margaret Richey, Maud Helpley, and Clarence Edward Cook. The chorus was called back for repeated encores.

Elmer Allen gave one of the chalk talks for which he is becoming noted. His patriotic readings and drawings received much applause. The third specialty was an impersonation of Pancho Villa by Clifford Hull.

The costuming and scenic effects throughout the play were very effective. Music was furnished by the High School orchestra. The gross receipts were in the neighborhood of $175. All seats were sold before the doors opened.

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GARDNER'S APPEAL

GOVERNOR WANTS EVERY ACRE OF MISSOURI LAND TILLED.

CONTRIBUTION TO NATION

Urges Mayors, Banks and Farmers of State to Meet With Him for Discussion of Food Question.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Jefferson City, April 13.—The mobilization of Missouri's agricultural resources as one of its chief contributions to the Nation and the world in the war crisis was asked for yesterday afternoon by Governor Gardner when he called a conference here for April 23, to which he invited the mayors of every village, town and city and the bankers and the farmers of the state. They are to meet with the governor and the members of the state board of agriculture to work out plans whereby thousands of untilled acres of farm lands in this state may be cultivated.

The following is the proclamation issued by Governor Gardner:

Whereas, the United States is now at war with a foreign enemy, and,

Whereas, it is conceded that the greatest problem confronting the United States will be the question of food supplies for both army and Nation.

Therefore, as governor of this state, I call upon the bankers and those who have money to loan to perfect arrangements whereby every pair of willing hands in the state of Missouri may be furnished money on long time at a low rate of interest for the purpose of securing seeds, machinery and teams in order that crops may be planted and harvested. It is imperative that not only the usual acreage be cultivated, but that every vacant town and city lot be utilized, as well as railroad rights of way and hundreds of thousands of other available acres within the borders of our state.

The crisis confronting our state and Nation is the most critical in our history. It is the time for every loyal and patriotic Missourian to make some secrifice. It is within the power of the people of this state, if sufficient funds are forthcoming, and sufficient encouragement is given to those who are willing to till the soil, to not only feed our own people during the strenuous days which confront us, but millions of our fellow men as well.

I now call upon the mayor and chief executive of every village, town and city in this state, from the largest to the smallest, also all bankers and representatives from all commercial bodies, as well as representatives of agricultural associations and clubs, to meet with me in conference with the state board of agriculture, at Jefferson City, April 23, 1917, at 10 o'clock, a. m., in the new Capitol Building, for the purpose of carrying into effect the spirit of this proclamation."

"The bankers of Missouri must realize their burden in this time of war," Governor Gardner said. "They must supply the money needed to allow Missouri farmers to do their full share towards making immense crops this year."

Mrs. Katherine Jensen and two sons of Bedison were in Maryville on business Thursday.

C. J. W. Spoonemore of Ravenwood was a city visitor Friday.

WILL TRAIN CHORUS

MARCUS NEILSEN ANXIOUS TO ORGANIZE MARYVILLE TALENT.

SAYS THE FIELD IS GOOD

Wants 100 Voices to Sing at Public Festivities and Community Affairs —Has Had Varied Experience.

Marcus T. Neilsen, who comes to the Maryville Conservatory as a teacher of voice June 1, has numerous plans for training a community and children's choruses to be used on occasions of public festivities.

"With so much excellent voice material in Maryville," said Mr. Neilsen,

MARCUS NEILSEN.
Who Comes to the Conservatory June 1, as Teacher of Voice.

on the occasion of his recent visit to our city. "I do not see why a chorus of at least 100 voices could not be trained for the purpose of appearing at patriotic meetings, Christmas celebrations and the like. I am heartily in favor of working up a chorus in Maryville, and if I get any encouragement at all from the singers of the city, I am sure that I can accomplish great things with a community chorus."

Mr. Neilsen's experience covers a period of twelve to fourteen years. He studied the De Rezke method of voice culture under William B. Graham, of Omaha, and was a student of dramatic expression under the same master for three years. He has taken part in and conducted the following oratorios: "The Messiah," "Elijah," and "The Creation."

He owned the Red Oak Conservatory at Red Oak, Ia., for over a year and while there gave the opera, "The Creation," by Haydn, with four soloists and a chorus of 100 voices. The press notice at Red Oak after the opera was given was very complimentary. Here it is:

"To Mr. Neilsen is due much credit for bringing out the musical talent of Red Oak. He has worked hard to accomplish this end since he took hold of the conservatory, and he has succeeded most admirably. The singing of the pageant chorus was an excellent demonstration of his work as a conductor and chorus leader.

"At the same time Mr. Nielsen has succeeded with the conservatory work in a manner most gratifying to the people of Red Oak. The school is no longer an experiment but a permanent institution where all the advantages of the best musical conservatories may be obtained."

The Cleff, a musical magazine published at Kansas City, has the following to say concerning Mr Neilsen and his rendition of the prologue from Pagliacci.

"The rendition of the prologue from Pagliacci by Marcus Neilsen was a splendid number. Mr. Neilsen possesses a rich, fiery, baritone voice, powerful and flexible, and with his dramatic ability and attractive personality, he deserves rare credit for his rendition of this difficult number."

Submarine Sighted, Report.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Havana, April 13.—Reports that a submarine had been sighted between Key West and Cuba and that the British ship, Treveal had been submarined off Cienfuegos, Cuba, aroused anxiety in shipping circles today and a number of vessels were detained at port. Both reports were without confirmation.

A LITERARY-SONG FEAST

The Rev. Mr. Cox Will Give Solo From "The Creation," (Haydn) and Sermon on Wells' Novel.

Sunday night's services at the First Methodist church will be a literary and song feast. The Rev. Mr. Cox will give a sermon based on H. G. Wells' novel, "Mr. Britling Sees It Through," which is considered one of the greatest war stories of the day.

Besides the regular choir selections Mr. Cox will sing the Aria from "The Creation," (Haydn). The name of this selection is "Rolling and Foaming Billows," and it has a beautiful orchestration which will be played by a string quartet, consisting of Prof. Fred Lewis Hakel, viola; Vladimir Jisa, first violin; Ralph Yehle, second violin; and H. B. Schuler, cello.

WINS IN SPEAKING CONTEST

Miss Etha Henderson Will Represent M. H. S. in Preliminary At Mound City April 20.

Miss Etha Henderson won in the extemporaneous contest which was held at high school assembly this morning and will represent the school at the Mound City meeting, April 20, at the preliminary extemporaneous contest of the Northwest Inter-High School association. Her subject was "Old Songs." The other speakers were Misses Ruth Hankins and Lucille Wiley. Piano solos were given during assembly by Misses Helen Dean and Helen Curfman.

The high school try-out in the oratorical and declamatory contests will be held at the school auditorium this evening at 8 o'clock to select the winners. Gold and silver medals are to be given by the school to the winners and they will also represent the school at the Mound City meeting to compete with Atchison, Holt, Andrew, and Buchanan counties. The winners in the Mound City preliminaries will compete in the final contest in Maryville Friday evening, April 27, at the Normal.

The following girls have entered the try-out for this evening: Misses Ruth Hankins, Mary Crowson, Mary Carpenter, Alice Peery, and Della Greene. The boys entered are: Russell Woodyard, Clark Evans, Robert Groppe, Martin Lewis and Clifford Hull

Clark Evans was selected yesterday to represent the high school in the boys' extemporaneous contest at Mound City.

MUSICALE AT HOPKINS

Professor Landon, The Rev. Gilbert S. Cox and Prof. Lewis Hakel Give Program for R. N. A.

Maryville musicians gave a splendid program, which was given for a large audience at the Presbyterian church, at Hopkins last night under the auspices of the Royal Neighbors. Prof. P. O. Landon, head of the Maryville Conservatory of Music, was in charge of the program which consisted of vocal selections by the Rev. Gilbert S. Cox, violin numbers by Prof. Fred Lewis Hakel and piano selections by Professor Landon.

The program follows:

Violin, Sonata
(a) Largo
(b) Presto.
(c) Andante.
(d) Allegro.
Mr. Hakel.

Songs.
(a) A song of Joy (Deacon).
(b) Macushla (Mac Morrough)
(c) Sunbeams (L. Ronald)
Mr. Cox.

Violin.
(a) Romance from Concerto in D Minor (Wieniauski)
(b) Souvenir (Drdla)
Mr. Hakel.

Piano.
(a) Waltz in A flat (Chopin)
(b) Rustling Spring (Sinding)
Professor Landon.

Songs.
(a) Who Knows? (Ball)
(b) Mother O'Mine (Wurs)
(c) A Red, Red Rose (Hastings)
(d) The Year's at the Spring (Mrs. Beach)
Mr. Cox.

Violin.
(a) Serenata (Moskowski)
(b) Mazurka (Wieniauski)
Mr. Hakel.

Songs with violin obligato.
(a) I Do Not Ask (Spross)
(b) The Day Is Ended (Bartlett)
(c) For All Eternity (Mascheroni)
Mr. Cox.

Dr. Fred Walk arrived in Maryville yesterday to visit his mother, Mrs. A. Walk, who underwent a serious operation several weeks ago and is very ill

GREAT SPORT EVENT

THE NORTHWEST MISSOURI H. S. TRACK MEET IN TWO WEEKS.

100 SCHOOLS INVITED

Meet Compares Favorably With Other Meets in State—Many Stars Into the Limelight Here.

The seventh annual track and field meet of the Northwest Missouri Inter-High School association, the greatest sport event of the year for Maryville, is but two weeks distant. The dates set for this year are Friday and Saturday, April 27 and 28. The meet was held in May last year, but in order that conflicts with other meets of this section might be avoided the April dates were chosen for this year.

The track meet is held in connection with the literary events, consisting of declamatory, oratorical, extemporaneous, and song contests. These contests will be held on the evening of April 27th in the Normal auditorium.

The track meet will be held on the afternoon of the following day, April 28th. It is this event which is looked forward to most eagerly by sport followers. The meet compares very favorably with other meets in the state and several famous athletes have first come into the limelight here. Preeminent among these is "Peerless Bob" Simpson, who has become internationally famous. Simpson established several records here, all of which have since been broken.

Prof. Herman P. Swinehart, corresponding secretary of the association, has sent out invitations for the combined track and literary events to more than a hundred schools. The following schools are members of the association:

Albany, Altamont, Agency, Amity, Amazonia, Avalon, Barnard, Bethany, Bigelow, Blythedale, Bogard, Bolckow, Bosworth, Braymer, Breckenridge, Burlington Junction, Cainesville, Camden Point, Cameron, Carrollton, Chillicothe, Chula, Clarksdale, Clearmont, Coffey, Corning, Cowgill, Craig.

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Ravenwood, Richmond, Rayville, Ridgeway, Rockport, Rushville, Rosendale. St. Joseph, Savannah, Sheridan, Skidmore, Smithville, Spickard, Stanberry, Stewartsville, Tarkio, Tina, Trenton, Trimble, Turney, Union Star, Utica, Watson, Westboro, Weston, Wheeling, Windsor, Winston.

ARKOE RESIDENT DIES

Stephen Williams, 84, Had Lived in Nodaway County 36 Years — Funeral Tomorrow.

Stephen Williams, 84 years old, died at 3 o'clock this morning at his home in Arkoe after suffering several years of paralysis.

Mr. Williams was born in Holmes county, Indiana, December 2, 1833, and lived there until he was about fifteen years old, when he moved with his parents to Iowa, where he was married to Martha E. Dyson, on January 7, 1855. Mr. and Mrs. Williams later came to Kansas and then moved to Missouri, settling in Nodaway county, where they have lived for 36 years.

Ten children were born to this union, four of whom died. Mr. Williams is survived by his wife and six children, who are: Mrs. Sarah Collins, George and Daniel Williams of Arkoe, Mrs. H. M. Pope, and Stephen Burk Williams of Maryville and Willard Williams of Barnard.

Funeral services will be held at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon at the Salem church, southwest of Arkoe, conducted by the Rev. Mr. Chapman of Rosendale. Burial will be in the Salem cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. James Strickler and son Bert, of Skidmore were in Maryville yesterday.

MINISTERS LIKE MARYVILLE

Pass Resolutions Thanking Church Members for Hospitality at Closing Session of Conference.

Resolutions thanking the people of Maryville for their hospitality, commending the Maryville newspapers for the publicity given the meetings endorsing President Wilson's stand on the war question and thanking the Normal quartet for the music furnished Wednesday evening were passed by the South Methodist ministers of the St. Joseph district at the closing session of the conference yesterday afternoon.

Judge W. H. Utz, Dr. Daniel Morton and the Rev. Fred Smallwood of St. Joseph and A. T. Stinson of Maryville were chosen as delegates to attend the annual conference of South Methodist ministers to be held at Richmond, Mo., September 1

Reports from nineteen out of twenty-three charges in this district show that the church has gained 538 members since the last report made in September.

THE BARNARD MEET

THREE TOWNSHIPS COMPETE FOR TRACK HONORS HERE.

THE BAND WILL PLAY

Order of Events Includes Track and Field Numbers—Begins at 1:30 o'Clock.

The track meet for the grade pupils of Grant Washington and White Cloud townships will be held at Barnard tomorrow, beginning at 1:30 o'clock. Music will be furnished by the Barnard band.

The order of events and prizes to be given are.

100-yard dash, boys, A — Tennis racket, Bear Drug Store.

100-yard dash, boys, B—Cap, Cross & Hartley.

50-yard dash, girls, A—$1.00, Farmers Lumber Co.

50-yard dash, girls, B—1 pound candy, "Fatty."

Sack race, boys, A, B and C—Pearl handled knife,McCleave Hardware Co.

Running broad jump, boys, A—Hat, Cross & Hartley.

Running broad jump, boys, B—50c cash.

High jump, boys, A—$1.00, Farmers & Citizens Bank.

High jump, boys, B—50c, Farmers State Bank.

High jump, boys, C—50c cash.

Single relay race, girls, A and B—$1.00.

20-yard dash, girls, C—(Rural), 50c, State Bank.

20-yard dash, girls, C (Town) — Box candy, Tullock's Barber Shop.

Nail driving contest, girls, A and B (Rural)—Spring dress, Stalling-Cook.

Nail driving contest, A and B (Town)—2-lb choice candy, Sell Restaurant.

Adult Contest.

1. 100-yard dash for men—Hair cut and shave, Thompsons, Barber Shop.

2. Horse shoe pitching contest — 50c roast, Meat Market.

3. Twine winding contest for women — Years' subscription for Barnard Bulletin.

Pole vault, boys, A — $1.00, State Bank.

Pole vault, boys, B—50c, Farmers & Citizens Bank.

50-yard dash, boys, C—50c, Farmers & Citizens Bank.

Flag relay race, girls, A and B (group of six)—$1.50, State Bank.

Wheelbarrow race, boys, C — Two pounds candy, Mendenhall Restaurant.

Potato race, boys, C — Base ball glove, Hargrave & Goff.

Discus throw, girls, A—10 tickets to McFay Theatre.

Discus throw, girls, B—Choice sport

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TO BEGIN BLOCKADE

GERMANS WILL DECLARE CERTAIN PARTS "DEFENSIVE AREAS."

ALONG ATLANTIC COAST

Ships Are Warned to Comply With Restrictions or They Will be Fired Upon Without Question.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, April 13.—That Germany will declare a "submarine blockade" off the Atlantic coast of the United States was said in diplomatic circles today to be almost certain. Official announcement was made of the establishment of the war zone about American ports and certain prescribed areas of American waters were termed "A Defensive Area." Ships are warned to comply strictly with the restrictions imposed upon traffic vessels entering these areas and after sunset will be fired upon without question.

It was officially announced that two high officials of the aerial councils of France and England will soon come to America to aid the government in laying plans for huge aerial force.

The Senate interstate commerce commission this afternoon voted to recommend the passage of the Webb export bill, one of the measures strongly urged by President Wilson in the last session. The bill permits American exporters to combine maintenance and selling agencies abroad.

The re-drafting of the administration espionage bills which died in the legislative blockade last congress was completed by the Senate judiciary committee this afternoon and will be reported Monday.

Every state in the union was asked today by the council of national defense to create a state council of national defense.

STOLE CHICKENS, CHARGE

Curtis Adams Arrested By Sheriff Dowden, After Selling Birds At Grocery Store.

Sacking chickens and selling them to the grocers was easy work, but it brought disaster to Curtis Adams of Maryville, who was arrested by Sheriff John Dowden last night on a charge of robbing the hen coops of Ernest and Wilson Wray, living near the Myrtle Tree neighborhood.

According to the charge, Adams would hire a horse and buggy and at nightfall proceed to the hen houses where reposed the White Wyandotte and the Barred Rock biddies of the Wrays and would stow away a couple of dozen in sacks. Then he would proceed to Orrsburg and surprise the early grocer with a magnificent offer of fine fat chickens for sale.

His first haul, says the information, brought him the sum of $14.24 and the second time he was paid $16.92 for the chickens that he brought. He was living well until the authorities working on a "tip" which they unexpectedly secured, brought the young man's lucrative business to a sad end.

Adams is now in the county jail. He appeared before Justice of the Peace W. L. Johnson this morning, waived formal arraignment and was bound over to the circuit court. His case will come up tomorrow.

Adams' parents live at Harrisonville.

AUSTRIAN MINISTER ASKS PASSPORTS.

Special to the Democrat-Forum.

Rio Janerio, April 13. — It is announced today that the Austrian minister has asked for his passports. Brazil has decided to arm all ships sailing for the "barred zone."

THE WEATHER.

Generally fair tonight and Saturday, probably frost tonight south and east portions; warmer Saturday east and south portions.

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DIES AT HOSPITAL NO. 2

Miss Lillie Hughbanks to be Brought to Home of Brother for Burial.

Miss Lillie Hughbanks, 44 years old, died this morning at hospital No. 2 in St. Joseph. The body will arrive in Maryville tonight and will be taken to the home of her brother, L. Hughbanks, west of Maryville.

Funeral services will be held Sunday, April 15, at the Wesley Chapel and burial will be in the Cain cemetery.

Miss Hughbanks is survived by three brothers, Roy, Lorace and Reuben Hughbanks, all of near Maryville. She has always lived near Maryville.

CHARLES SCHIMMING DEAD.

Week's Illness of Nephritis and Pneumonia Fatal to Maryville Resident.

Charles Schimming, about 45 years old, died about noon at his home on East First street, after a week's illness from nephritis and pneumonia.

Mr. Schimming had lived for many years on a farm six miles southeast of Maryville and had moved into Maryville only recently. He is survived by a wife and five children.

GARDNER PRACTICES ECONOMY.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Jefferson City, April 13.—Governor Gardner will not even show any favoritism toward himself in his economy campaign. He will get along without a secretary after this week when his private secretary, Noah W. Simpson, will become a member of the State Service Commission. By so doing he will save $2,500. There are two female stenographers and a male clerk in the executive office. The Governor feels that he can get along with them.

Jerome Bemis of Burlington Junction was in Maryville yesterday on business.

WILCOX WINS THE CUP

Gets Prize Offered for Largest Percentage of Members Present at I. O. O. F. Meeting at Graham.

Wilcox was the winner of the silver loving cup offered by grand secretary Ben Weidel to the I. O. O. F. having the largest percentage of its resident members at the quarterly meeting at Graham yesterday.

The lodges were represented as follows: Wilcox, 33; Maryville, 21; Ravenwood, 14; Skidmore, 25; Quitman, 2; Barnard 3; Clearmont 5; Guilford 8; and Burlington Junction 12.

The afternoon session began with a program. The invocation was given by Mr. Owens of Skidmore, and the Welcome address was made by J. W. Decker. After the response by L. D. Jordon a quartet consisting of Cecil Long, Elwood Miller, Harry Bennett and Marvin Mowry, with Vera Long, pianaist, gave several selections. The Rev. S. D. Harlan, pastor of the Christion church at Graham, gave an excellent address, and also gave the benediction at the close of the program.

At the business session the following officers were elected for the quarter. President, L. B. Campbell, Barnard; vice-president, Joseph Thompson, Guilford; secretary, George Cole, Barnard; and treasurer, Ray Strickler, Skidmore.

In the evening two candidates, Alva Hill and James C. Early both of Graham, were initiated. The initiatory degree work was given by Wilcox lodge; the first degree work by Skidmore, the second degree work by Graham and the third degree work by Maryville.

The next quarterly meeting of the lodge will be held at Barnard the second Thursday in July.

THE BARNARD MEET

(Continued from Page 1.)

hat, Stalling-Cook.

Shot-put, boys, A—$1.00, State Bank.

Shot-put, boys, B—50c, State Bank.

Three-legged race, boys, C — $1.00, Bulletin.

Egg race, girls, A and B — Hand-painted china plate, Stalling-Cook.

MRS. VAN AUSDALL DIES

Skidmore Woman Survived by Husband and Four Children—No Funeral Arrangements.

Mrs. Louisa Van Ausdall died at 1 o'clock today at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Clyde Barrett near Skidmore, following a few weeks' illness. Mrs. Van Ausdall is survived by her husband and four children. They are: Mrs. Clyde Barrett, and Quincy Van Ausdall of Skidmore, Seneca Van Ausdall of Burlington Junction and Harry Van Ausdall of Iowa.

Funeral arrangements have not yet been made.

Pearl Green and family have moved from 118 South Saunders street to 1002 East Fourth street.

Mrs. Del Thompson of Skidmore was a dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. M. Ray, today.

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See Our Windows

Normal Ahead at 4th Inning.

At the end of the first half of the fourth inning in the baseball game between the Maryville Normal and the Christian Brothers College of St. Joseph, the score is 10-0 in favor of Maryville. K. Van Cleve is pitching and has only allowed the college boys two hits so far.

GARDNER IS SAVING

VETOES APPROPRIATION BILLS TOTALING $852,294.

ALLOWS $15,750 EXPENSE

States That Money to Pay $200,000 in Back Pensions Will Be Borrowed.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Jefferson City, April 13.—Details regarding the cuts made by Governor Gardner in the various appropriation measures passed by the Forty-ninth General Assembly, have just been made public by the Governor's office.

The Governor vetoed bills carrying $852,294 and is withholding appropriations totaling $1,394,040, making a total result of the state executive's slicing operations $2,246,334.

The Governor vetoed $144,093 of educational appropriations and withheld $284,800. He vetoed $243,299 from appropriations for the eleemosynary institutions and withheld $154,450.

He approved expense measures totaling $15,750, this being the estimated amount of the revenues for 1917 and 1918.

The Governor vetoed the following appropriations:

$240,000 for Confederate pensions; $50,000 for the Blind Commission; $100,000 for the penitentiary; $34,195 for the three industrial schools; $30,000 for a new kitchen at the executive mansion; $30,000 for a tuberculosis hospital in Jasper county; $30,700 for St. Joseph and Verona Fish Hatcheries; $78,000 for a new building and improvement at the overcrowded colony for feeble-minded at Marshall.

For the Maryville State Normal School, $8,000 was held up and $8,000 vetoed.

The following expense measures were withheld by the Governor:

$14,000 for four additional rural school inspectors in the Department of Education; $1,120,000 for the penitentiary and the three industrial schools; $50,000 for public printing and $50 for state warehouse commission.

Governor Gardner approved $8,249,908 for public education, including $5,250,000 for the public schools, $651,070 for philanthropies and $983,753 for the penitentiary and industrial schools.

He allowed $20,000 of the Kelly and Kelly claim for selling Capitol bonds. The legislature appropriated $25,000.

H. G. Clymer and H. H. Henenschild St. Louis architects, received an appropriation of $5,750 for services on a new cell building. The governor approved $2.000 as settlement in full.

Back Confederate pensions amounting to $260,000 were approved by the Governor. He stated that it would be necessary to borrow the money to pay these pensions.

Governor Gardner has signed all appropriation bills that met with his approval.

IN GERMAN CONSPIRACY.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

El Paso, April 13.—Federal officers arrested Vincent Andrews a wealthy banker and two brothers on indictment of conspiracy to ship arms and ammunition in Mexico. All are of German descent.

The Boils Of Lazarus

were eased by the dogs who licked the infected places, but they were not cured. Many modern people employ the same method in their treatment of boils, pimples, rashes, carbuncles, eczema and other skin diseases. They apply a salve or lotion to the sore places and fondly imagine they have cured them. The important fact which they fail to recognize is, that these skin diseases are diseases of the blood, and that no external treatment can permanently cure them, because they are essentially internal ailments. S. S. S. is the only proper remedy for this breaking out of the skin, because it acts upon the blood, cleansing and revitalizing it, and removing the cause of infection. It should be borne in mind that S. S. S. is purely vegetable, made from native roots, herbs and barks, and that it contains no habit-forming drugs or other injurious ingredients. Obtain a bottle of S. S. S. from your druggist and if you need the advice of a physician, write to the Medical Department, Swift Specific Co., 301 Swift Building, Atlanta, Ga.

BRITISH STILL GAINING

Capture Additional Fortified Villages on Front, East of Arras With Heavy Fighting.

London, April 13. — Pressing forward over a wide front east of Arras, the British have captured a number of additional fortified villages, points of support and strips of woodland from the Germans.

There is heavy fighting north of Margicourt, where the Germans put up a strong resistance to the advance of the British.

FRENCH CAPTURE TRENCHES.

Paris, April 13.—Several lines of German trenches northwest of St. Quentin were captured by the French this morning and a number of German prisoners and machine guns were captured. Violent artillery duelling along the front.

Fourteen hundred pints of whiskey and beer now in the safe of Sheriff David of Clinton county are being used with telling effect by the prosecuting attorney, F. B. Klepper. And to get the effect it is not necessary to use the contents—only the labels showing the names of the persons selling them and the witnesses of the sales. Several convictions have been secured with sentences of six to nine months at hard labor on the county roads.

MAY SEIZE RAILROADS

Bill in House Would Give President Power to Seize Public Service Utilities.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, April 13. — President Wilson would be given complete authority to seize and operate railroads and the telegraph and telephone lines of the country for the period of war by the terms of a bill introduced in the house today by Chairman Adamson of the Interstate Foreign Commerce committee.

With no limitation placed on debate the house today begun consideration of 7 billion dollar bond issue bill. It is a foregone conclusion that it will go through the house with a big majority.

GREEK STEAMER SUNK.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

London, April 13. — The Greek steamer, Nestos, which sailed from New York, March 13, with a cargo of wheat, was sunk by a submarine, says an Athens dispatch.

U. S. REAR ARMIRAL TO LONDON.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

London, April 13. — Rear Admiral Sims of the United States navy has arrived in London. The object of his mission is unknown, but he will probably remain for some time.

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Division "E" Meets.

Division "E" of the Ladies' Aid society of the Christian church held a social meeting yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Ellis Cook, with Mrs. J. S. Shinabargar and Mrs. L. C. Cook, as assistant hostesses. Thirteen members and one visitor, Mrs. Ray Wilfley, of Steele City, Neb., were present. The next social meeting will be in May, with Mrs. Shinabargar.

For Carl Reimer.

Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Reimer entertained a party of little folks Wednesday night in honor of the eighth birthday anniversary of their son, Carl. Games and contests were played from 7 until 9 o'clock. The prizes going to Leola Miller and Billy Bailey. Dainty refreshments were served. Those present were: Billy Bailey, Leola and Harold Miller, Clarence Lloyd, Donald Herndon, Lucile and Harlan Strong, Virginia Curnutt, John and Mary Dougan, Robert Cook, John and Ralph Curfman and Francis Parle.

Romine-Holliday Wedding.

Mrs. Ida Romine and C. E. Holliday, both of Skidmore, were quietly married at high noon in St. Joseph on Thursday, March 29, at White Temple. Rev. C. C. Woods, pastor of the church officiated.

Mr. and Mrs. Holliday have been friends since childhood, having attended school together.

Mrs. Holliday is a woman of culture and refinement and Mr. Holliday is a wealthy young farmer. Both bride and groom have a host of friends who join in wishing them a long and happy life.

Mrs. Claud Shell, Hostess.

Mrs. Claud Shell was hostess to the I. I. club, Wednesday afternoon. The meeting opened with roll call followed by a short program. Refreshments consisting of sandwiches, jelly cake and coffee were served by the hostess. The visitors present were: Grandma Kinsley, Mrs. James Onstott, Mrs. V. A. Guthrie and Mrs. Jesse Onstott. The members present were: Mrs. Byron Kinsley, Mrs. Ed Seipel, Mrs. Allen Haller, Mrs. Lon Hughes, Mrs. Ed Babb, Mrs. Will Osborn, Mrs. John Halasey, Mrs. Brice Hall, Miss Jennie Duncan, Miss Lydia Onstott, Miss Irene Babb and Miss Leda Babb. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Elihu Shell on April 25.

Willing Helpers Meet.

The Pioneer Willing Helpers club met with Mrs. E. Dickey, Wednesday, April 11. The day was spent in quilting for the hostess. At noon dinner was served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. Claud Neville. The house was decorated in the club colors and flags. The prize for the most quilting was won by Mrs. George Gay. A short business session was held. The members present were: Mrs. George Gay, Mrs. William Rhodes, Mrs. I. V. Moore, Mrs. M. Swearingen, Mrs. J. R. Lawson, Mrs. O. Heflin, Mrs. Fred Buck, Mrs. George Wright, Mrs. C. C. Moore, Mrs. Claud Neville, Mrs. Roy Gay and Miss Anna Shank. The next meeting will be with Mrs. George Gay, Wednesday, April 25.

Country Club Has Last Evening Meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Trullinger and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Trullinger were the hosts and hostesses to the Country club which met last night at their home west of Maryville. Games and music furnished amusements for the evening. Light refreshments were served by the hostesses. The following guests were present: Mr. and Mrs. William Davenport, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Shelton Mr. and Mrs. W. A. White, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Willhoyte, Mr. and Mrs. William Job, Sr., Mr. and Mrs. J. C. White, Mr. and Mrs. Arch Willhoyte, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Knabb, Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Willhoyte, Mr. and Mrs. William Job, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Frank Miller, Mrs. M. J. Willhoyte, Mrs. O. L. Shell, Mrs. Ethel Lincoln, Misses Neva Owens, Leora Willhoyte, Edna Davenport, Elizabeth Lee, Beulah Miller; Ray Zimmerman, Wilbe Nicholas, Earl Lennox of South Dakota, Amos Shell, Frank Piece, Leo Owens and Raymond Job. Last night was the last of the evening meetings. The next meeting will be Thursday afternoon, April 26.

Mrs. Gillam, Hostess.

The April meeting of the Woman's Missionary society of the Presbyterian church was held yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. S. G. Gillam, who was assisted by Mrs. G. H. Colbert and Mrs. J. F. Colby. Mrs. Gallatin Craig led the devotional exercises. Mrs. S. E. Farmer read a paper on "Negro Child Life," and Mrs. H. A. Foster gave a talk on Freedmen's Schools. Mrs. Gillam presided at the Victrola and several negro melodies were played to illustrate points brought out in the two preceding discussions. Mrs. Colbert conducted the roll call to prayer, which was followed by a paper on the Punjab Mission of India, by Mrs. Fred Yoemans.

Miss Lucie Davis president of the society, gave a report of the Presbytery held in St. Joseph last week. At this meeting Miss Davis was elected a vice-president. Mrs. Frank White, who was a visitor, was received as a new member.

Entertain C. R. C. Ball Team.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Farrell entertained at 1 o'clock dinner today at their home on South Main street. Plates were laid for the members of the ball team of the Christian Brothers College of St. Joseph, Rev. Brother Eugene, Mark Gilfoile of Jaunita, Kan., Martin, Thomas and Ella Farrell of Parnell and Miss Lorene Thompson of Guilford.

MUST LEAVE SERVICE

Barry Issues Order to Those With Dependent Families.

Chicago, April 13.—National guardsmen who have families dependent on them must leave the service, regardless of any desire to remain on duty according to an order issued by Maj. Gen. Thomas H. Berry, commanding the central department, U. S. A., today. This order supersedes a previous one which made retirements merely a privilege.

The order barring from service those who have dependent families applies only to enlisted men and not to officers of the national guard.

Investigate Credit Bureau.

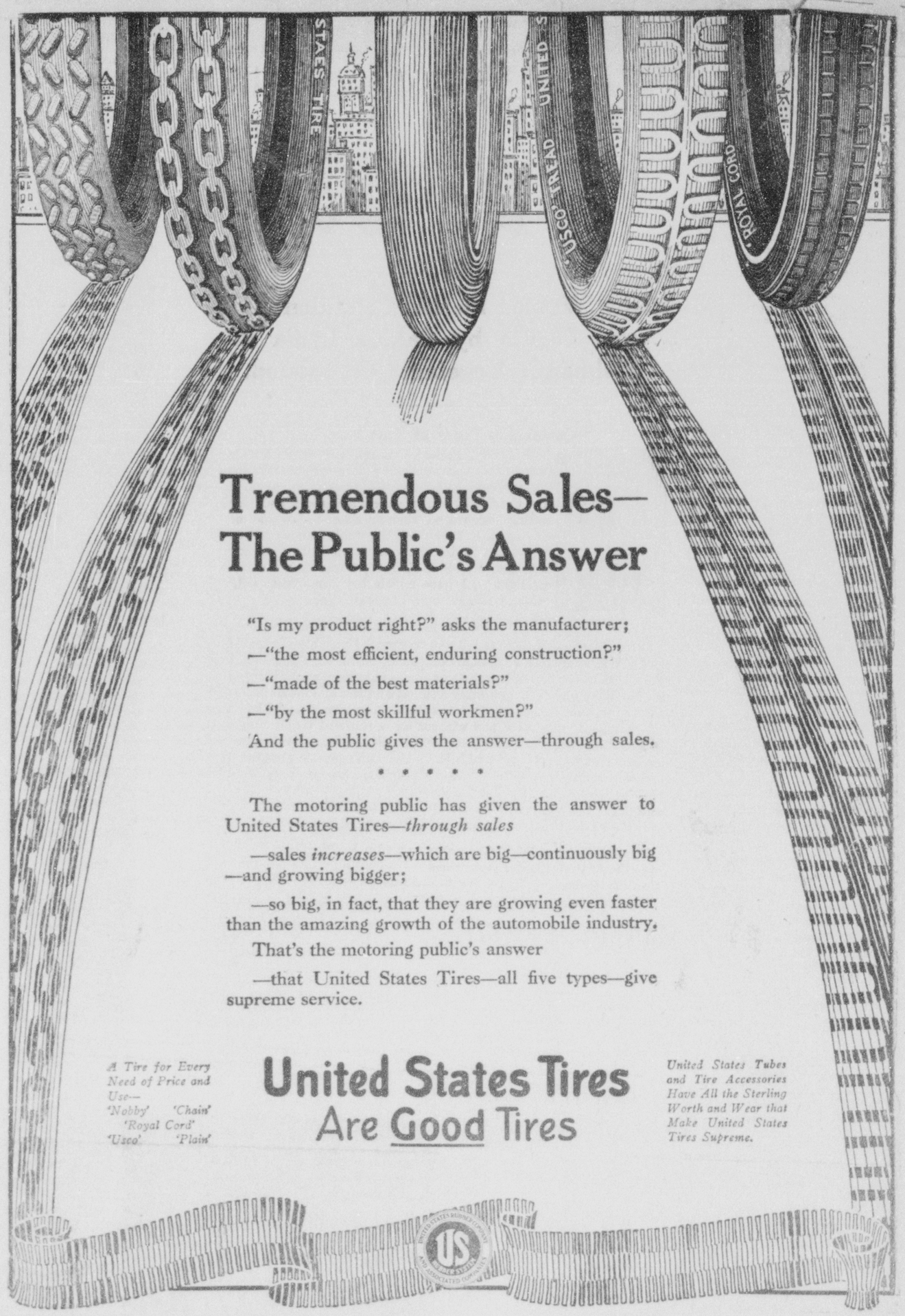
J. F. Leonard of Winterset, Ia., was in Maryville today investigating the workings of the Credit Rating Bureau which is run in connection with the Commercial Club. He is secretary of the Commercial Club at Winterset.

Want Delegates at Meeting.

Secretary E. M. Claypool of the Commercial Club sent letters to each of the directors of the Nodaway County Automobile and Good Roads Clubs urging them to send delegates to the Good Roads' meeting which will be held at the Elks Club at St. Joseph next Monday afternoon.

Two dogs are dead as the result of an attempt to poison a Plattsburg farmer. This man had trouble with a colored man and woman in his employ and that night something was wrong with the biscuits which the colored cook prepared. Suspicious prevented the intended victim from eating the biscuits, however and they were thrown out. The subsequent effect on the dogs that ate them will doubtless be the chief evidence in prosecuting the cook for intended manslaughter.

Never recovering from the shock of being threatened and robbed in his home near Cora on the night of March 6, Uncle Robert Stephenson, aged 91, died last week and his aged wife, who was kicked twice by the burglars is in a serious condition. One of the robbers has been caught.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LITERARY CONTEST AT B. J.

Five Students From High School Will Go to Mound City, Friday, April 20.

Misses Clellah Headrick, Hulda Barber and Gladys Praiswater; Loren Hackett and Francis Walton were the winners in the literary contest try-out held at the Burlington Junction High School Tuesday night for the purpose of selecting representatives to the Mound City preliminary, April 20.

Miss Headrick will give a reading at the preliminary, Miss Barber will enter the song contest, Miss Praiswater will give the extemporaneous speech for the girls and Mr. Walton for the boys, and the oration will be given by Mr. Hackett.

The judges were the Rev. Horace S. Weaver, Mrs. Mark Hiles and Robert Caudle.

J. L. Henry Improving.

Word has been received here that Engineer J. L. Henry, who was recently compelled to undergo a severe operation at the Mayo hospital at Rochester, Minn., is steadily improving. For a time his condition was very critical and little hope for recovery entertained, but it is now the opinion of his physicians that, while it will take some time for him to recover from the effects of the operation, he will be in better condition than he has been for many years.—Conception Courier.

Mills Crane Improving.

Mrs. A. B. Crane went to St. Joseph Tuesday morning to spend two or three days with her son, Mills Crane, who underwent an operation at the Sisters' hospital for appendicitis three weeks ago. Mills is recovering nicely and will be able to return home the last of this week.—Burlington Junction Post.

Sunday's Band Concert

The following program will be given by the band at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon at the Empire Theatre.

March—"Light Cavalry, Poet and Peasant, (Lake).

Overture—"Semiramidae" (Rossini)

Medley Two-Step—"Hello Hawaii, How Are You?" (Schwartz)

Cornet Solo—Selected (Campbell).

"Humoreske" (Wheeler).

Medley Two-Step—"Robinson Crusoe Jr," (Meyers).

Violin Solo—Selected, by Prof. Fred Lewis Hakel. Miss Vesta Peterman, accompanist.

International Transcription of the American Folk Song in the Musical Idiom of Eight Nations. "Way Down Upon the Swanee Ribber," "Old Folks at Home," and "In Foreign Lands."

March—"Chicago Tribune"(Chambers).

WOMEN TO ECONOMIZE.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Kansas City, April 13.—Following Mrs. Wilson's lead, leading women will start to economize. One of the wealthiest women of the city is plowing up a part of her beautiful lawn to plant potatoes.

Will Organize Sunday School.

Mrs. C. R. Harmon of Pickering will organize a Sunday School at the Xenia school house, four miles northeast of Pickering, at 2:30 o'clock Sunday afternoon.

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BLOOD POISONING FATAL

Joseph James, 76 Years Old, A Former Resident of Skidmore, Dies at St. Joseph.

Joseph Asbury James, a former resident of Skidmore died at 9:30 o'clock yesterday morning at a St. Joseph hospital from blood poisoning contracted as a result of trimming his corns.

Mr. James, who was 76 years old, was a retired carpenter. He had lived at St. Joseph since 1895, having lived at Skidmore before that time. He is survived by his wife, four daughters and three sons. The daughters and sons are. Mrs. Maggie Smith and Mrs. C. G. Kimmel, St. Joseph; Mrs. Hattie Douglass, Mrs. Mata Jennings, and Fred James, Greeley, Colo.; Jacob E. James, Maryville, and William A. James, Skidmore.

Mr. James was a member of Custer Post, G. A. R., at St. Joseph.

Funeral services will be held at 11 o'clock Sunday morning at the Burr Oak church, conducted by Rev. Mr. Petree of St. Joseph. Burial will be in the Burr Oak cemetery.

FIRE AT STRANGE AEROPLANE.

Boston, April 13.—Massachusetts guardsmen on sentry duty near Portsmouth this morning fired two shots at an aeroplane which came from the direction of the sea flying high, according to a dispatch to the Boston American. The aviator paid no attention to shots.

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FOR SALE—Plymouth Rock eggs for hatching, $3.00 per 100, 65c per 15. Mrs. James Potter, Pickering Mo. 10-16

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Bought Reed Farm.

George M. Jones has bought the F. E. Reed farm of 80 acres located southwest of Burlington Junction. The land joins the Jones land and is a valuable addition to this big farm. The consideration was $125 an acre. Mr. Reed has rented the place for this year.—Burlington Junction Post.

Sam Webb of Burlington Junction was a Maryville visitor yesterday.

Read Democrat-Forum Want Ads.

War is on But we're not gone

I am raising seed to buy the uniform.
The seedy man on the seedy side,
Is here to make you hop and slide.
The wheat, the rye and the clover you know,
Will carry us through next winter's snow.
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If you want special advice write to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co. (confidential) Lynn, Mass. Your letter will be opened, read and answered by a woman and held in strict confidence.

MARKET REPORTS

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

Grain Market Futures.

Special to Democrat-Forum.

Kansas City, April 13.— WHEAT—May, $2.33; July, $1.88.

CORN—May, $1.39⅛; July, $1.33⅜.

Kansas City Live Stock.

Kansas City, April 13.—CATTLE — Receipts, 300; nothing good.

HOGS—Receipts, 2,500; top, $16.00; bulk, $15.50@$16.10.

SHEEP—Receipts, none, market steady.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, April 13.—CATTLE— Receipts, 2,000; market steady.

HOGS—Receipts, 13,000; market, steady; top, $16.45.

SHEEP—Receipts, 9,000; market, steady.

St. Joseph Live Stock.

St. Joseph, April 13.—CATTLE—Receipts, 400; market, steady.

HOGS—Receipts, 3,000; market steady; top, $16.15.

SHEEP—Receipts, 5,000; market, steady.

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Butter fat, per lb	42c
Eggs, per doz	31c
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Hens, per lb	18c
Ducks	13c
Geese	12c

Young Roosters according to value.

Spent $11.75 in Race.

Dave Cornett spent $11.75 in his race for constable of Polk township, and H. M. Souers' campaign expenses for the nomination of assessor were $11.40.

C. D. Caldwell has a new Haynes touring car which he pruchased Friday of Walter Wray of Maryville. The dealer took the Caldwell Oldsmobile in exchange on the new car.—Burlington Junction Post.

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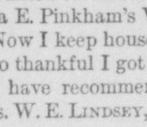

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HAWES AT ROAD MEETING

Will Be At St. Joseph Next Monday In the Interest of the New Highway Laws.

Hon. Harry B. Hawes, author of the new state road law giving assent to federal aid for road and bridge construction and creating a new State Highway Department, will speak at the six divisional meetings announced by the board, as follows:

St. Joseph, April 16; Hannibal, April 17; Jefferson City, April 19; Joplin, April 20; Springfield, April 21; Cape Girardeau, April 23.

Mr. Hawes devoted practically all his energies during the 49th General Assembly to road legislation, and was successful in securing the passage of what is regarded by the United States Department at Washington as "the model road law of America."

It will be a personal sacrifice for Mr. Hawes to give the time required to accompany the board on its itinerary, and the people of our county should avail themselves of the opportunity to hear this distinguished citizen.

"TILLIE WAKES UP."

Good Comedy Picture at the Empire Theatre Tonight.

Everybody enjoys good comedy, yet good comedy pictures are few and far between. There are numerous pictures of the much over-worked slap-stick-kick-'em-in-the-face brand being featured, but this is becoming exceedingly tiresome. The world realized the want for good laugh producers and have assembled an excellent cast, including Johnny Hines, to aid the well-known comedy character—Tillie—Marie Dressler.

This pretentious comedy feature has been called "Tillie Wakes Up," and is a veritable scream from start to finish. The patrons of the Empire Theatre certainly are in for a treat tonight when this play will be shown.

Notice.

Three teachers to teach in rural schools in Graham consolidated district, must have second grade certificate or better and experience. Salary $60 per month. Also High School teacher wanted, qualified to teach physical geography, English history and two years of agriculture in a first class high school. Salary $70 per month. Personal application required. W. H. Morris, clerk. 13-16

To Galli-Curci and Ganz Recital.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Robinson went to St. Joseph yesterday afternoon to attend the Galli-Curci and Ganz recital at the auditorium last night.

Lee Griffin, director of the Iowa Scandinavian Band of Dayton, Ia., is in Maryville visiting with friends.

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Pickering Circuit M. E. Church.

While the storm of Saturday and muddy roads on Sunday interferred somewhat with the attendance at the services last Sunday, yet considering everything, a good showing was made, 127 being present at the Sunday School at Pickering.

We were disappointed in not being able to go to Mt. Pleasant for the afternoon service but were given an excellent musical program by our choir at the evening service in Pickering.

Next Sabbath at 11 o'clock a. m., the baccalaureate service will be held at the Christian church, so we will join in that service. The sermon will be delivered by the pastor of the M. E. church.

The pastor will preach at Mozingo Valley next Sunday evening at 8 o'clock p. m., instead of the morning hour.

Didn't we have a splendid time at the banquet last week? We only wish everyone could have been present.

The committee is now ready to receive your subscription for the church basement and repairs.

You are cordially invited to worship with us.

C. S. Dayhoff, pastor.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hoy of Dwyer, Wyo., were called to Clearmont on account of the serious illness of Mrs. Hoy's father, James Huls.

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